

A L E P P O T E M P L E

A. A. O. N. M. S.

Boston, Massachusetts.

Friday, January 25, 1946.

" E S S E L A M U A L E I K U M . "

THE 63rd ANNUAL MEETING OF ALEPPO TEMPLE A.A.O. N. M. S. was opened at Paul Revere Hall, Mechanics Building, Boston, Friday, January 25 at 4:00 P. M. for the purpose of electing and obligating candidates, receiving and acting upon the annual reports of Officers and Committees and any other business that might properly come before it. The meeting was presided over by Illustrious Potentate Arthur A. Sondheim and his ^{Divan} Officers.

Applications having been received from the following 39 aspirants for the Order, who were elected at this, or a previous meeting , they were given the Order of the Mystic Shrine as portrayed by the Ritualistic Degree Team.

JAMES C. BAYLEY, JR. OF BOSTON
DAVID H. BEECHER OF WALTHAM
JOHN M. BENNER OF LYNN
LESTER L. BENNETT OF WEST MEDFORD
CHRISTIAN J. BERGLUND OF ARLINGTON

EDWIN H. BJORKMAN OF SAUGUS
ARTHUR N. CALKINS OF LEXINGTON
FREDERIC A. CHEYNE OF FOXBORO
CLARENCE P. CHURCHILL OF WOLLASTON
CHESTER E. DAVIS OF N. DARTMOUTH

SAMUEL DEXTER OF BROOKLINE
JOHN DUNN OF BOSTON
FRANK W. EDMANDS OF SWAMPSCOTT
THOMAS B. ENGLAND OF BOSTON
WILLIAM H. ENTIN OF FALL RIVER

HOWARD J. EVERSON OF BROCKTON
ARTHUR B. FALKSON OF NEWTON CENTRE
MORTON H. FRIEDMAN OF NEWTON CENTRE
VERNON IVAN HIGHT OF BOSTON
EARL R. HOLLIS OF CAMBRIDGE

MORRIS HORVITZ, JR. OF FALL RIVER
ARTHUR S. HOVEY, JR. OF SWAMPSCOTT
REUBEN R. KANTER OF ROXBURY
RALPH U. LIBBY OF BELMONT
LARS LUNDE OF NORTH QUINCY

DUNCAN MACDOUGALL OF REVERE
DUNCAN L. MACDOUGALL OF MELROSE
ABRAHAM MILLER OF DORCHESTER
HERBERT F. MILLS OF LYNN
CHARLES P. NICOLL OF EVERETT

SHERBURNE S. RAND OF NEEDHAM HEIGHTS
LUTHER KING ROBERTS, JR. OF WELLESLEY
GEORGE E. SAUNDERS OF BOSTON
CLIFFORD O. SLOGGETT OF FOXBORO
HENRY S. SUTHERLAND OF LAWRENCE

PRESCOTT L. WESTON OF LYNN
ALBERT F. WHITE OF SWAMPSCOTT
RICHARD J. WHITE, JR. OF LYNN
AUBREY B. WHYNAUGHT OF ARLINGTON

Applications were also received from the following
5 candidates who were elected at this, or previous meetings,
but were not present to receive the Order of the Shrine.

EDWARD BERNDT
ALBERT L. BOOTH
HOWARD W. DURFEE
HARVEY J. FREM
ALFRED VAN ALLEN THOMASON.

Applications were also received from H. Lewis Gorfine
and Israel Edward Levine, both of whom had been balloted upon
at a previous meeting and were entitled to the degrees. A
letter of objection signed by three members of the Temple hav-
ing been duly received before the initiation of these candi-
dates, they were declared rejected and their fees returned.

Applications were also received from Benjamin Elman,
Joseph Fowler; Ira Samuel Galkin; Samuel Gorfine; Sidney
Richman; Abraham Leon Singer and Henry Weintruab whose appli-
cations were withdrawn by their sponsors before going to ballot.

The following 15 former Nobles were REINSTATED

TO MEMBERSHIP:

Thomas R. Burrell
Charles M. Cox
Howard K. Dyer
Edwin C. Erickson
Harry Goldenberg

Arthur W. Herrick
John Kaufmann
Leon P. Lawton
Frederick Lockett
James B. MacRobert

Ralph V. Morrill
Edward L. Rawson
Harold S. Stevens
Augustus S. True
Herbert L. Woodman

The following 8 Nobles were elected to membership
by AFFILIATION:

Thomas Gerrard Hancock of Winthrop
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

Edward P. Gilmartin of Ashmont
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

Harold C. Heivly of Framingham
Formerly of Syria Temple

Kenneth L. Hulbert of Westboro
Formerly of Nile Temple

Ernest R. Merrill of Melrose
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

William A. Paige of Onset
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

Richard F. Snow of Winchendon
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

William T. Stone of East Braintree
Formerly of Aloha Temple

A printed copy of the Annual Reports of the
Recorder, Treasurer, Trustees of the Permanent Fund and
Auditing Committee having been distributed to the members
present at this meeting it was moved and unanimously voted
these reports be approved and spread upon the records of
the Temple.

Your confidential Financial Report of
ALEPPO TEMPLE A.A.O.N.M.S.
Statement for the Year Ending December 31, 1945

RECORDER'S REPORT

Membership				Financial	
MEMBERSHIP, JANUARY 1, 1945....		10,393		RECEIPTS:	
Initiated.....	565			Dues and Assessments.....	\$71,122.25
Affiliated.....	29			Degree Fees.....	42,450.00
Reinstated.....	61			Life Memberships.....	19,650.00
Total Admitted.....	655			Hospital Endowment Fund Membership.....	22,540.00
Deceased.....	230			Monthly Luncheons.....	3,345.25
Demitted.....	32			Charity Bridge Parties.....	2,493.65
Suspended.....	62			Annual Baseball Day.....	260.00
Total Deducted.....	324			Sale of Equipment, etc.....	486.72
Net Gain for the Year.....		331		Rebates.....	1.19
MEMBERSHIP, DECEMBER 31, 1945.		10,724		Total Receipts.....	\$162,349.06
HARVEY B. LEGGEE, Recorder.				Paid to Treasurer.....	162,349.06
Examined and Approved, ALBERT FRUH, Auditor.				HARVEY B. LEGGEE, Recorder.	

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1945

Receipts				Disbursements	
Balance of Cash on Hand January 1, 1945:				Paid as per Vouchers for Expenses.....	
In First National Bank of Boston.....	\$107,243.77			Imperial Council Payments:	\$91,435.34
In Savings Banks.....	10,488.81			Childrens' Hospital and Per Capita Tax..	\$26,609.00
Deposit.....	425.00			Hospital Endowment Fund Memberships.	22,540.00
Total Cash on Hand.....		\$118,157.58		Paid to Trustees of Permanent Fund:	49,149.00
Received from the Recorder:				131 Life Membership Fees @ \$150.....	\$19,650.00
Dues and Assessments.....	\$71,122.25			565 Candidates Fees @ \$5.00.....	2,825.00
Initiation Fees.....	42,450.00				22,475.00
131 Life Memberships @ \$150 each.....	19,650.00			Balance of Cash on Hand December 31, 1945:	
Hospital Endowment Fund Memberships.	22,540.00			In State Street Trust Co.....	\$131,599.15
Monthly Luncheons.....	3,345.25			In Savings Banks.....	10,662.25
Charity Bridge Parties.....	2,493.65			Deposit.....	425.00
Annual Baseball Day.....	260.00			Total Cash on Hand.....	142,686.40
Sale of Equipment, etc.....	486.72			Total.....	\$305,745.74
Refunds.....	1.19				
Total from the Recorder.....		\$162,349.06		N.B. \$8,500.00 was not withdrawn from the principal of the Permanent Fund.	
Interest from Savings Banks.....	173.44			Examined and Approved:	FRANK W. MORRILL, Treasurer.
Interest from U.S.C. of I's 1/4%.....	351.52			ALBERT FRUH, Accountant and Auditor.	
Insurance Adjustments.....	67.57				
Received from Shrine Activities Inc., on Circus 1945.....	10,500.00				
Interest from Permanent Fund.....	14,146.57				
Total.....		\$305,745.74			

TRUSTEES OF THE PERMANENT FUND OF ALEPPO TEMPLE A.A.O.N.M.S.

The Trustees of the Permanent Fund of the Aleppo Temple A.A.O.N.M.S. submit their report for the year ended December 31, 1945:

Amount of Fund, January 1, 1945.....	\$624,334.41	PRINCIPAL ACCOUNT, DECEMBER 31, 1945	
Add,—Receipts:		Savings Banks Accounts.....	\$301,636.49
Fees from 565 Candidates at \$5.00.....	2,825.00	U. S. Government Bonds: (Cost)	
Fees from 131 Life Members at \$150.00.....	19,650.00	U. S. Treasury 2 1/4%, due March 15, 1960.	\$27,000.00
Interest from Savings Banks.....	6,012.82	U. S. Treasury 4 1/4%, due October 15, 1947/52.....	4,000.00
Interest from \$27,000 U. S. Treasury Bonds 2 1/4%.....	776.25	U. S. Savings Bonds Series G, due August 1, 1953.....	50,000.00
Interest from \$4,000 U. S. Treasury Bonds 4 1/4%.....	170.00	U. S. Savings Bonds Series G, due January 1, 1954.....	50,000.00
Interest from \$275,000 U. S. Savings Bonds Series G.....	6,875.00	U. S. Savings Bonds Series G, due October 1 and November 1, 1954.....	50,000.00
Interest from \$25,000 U. S. Savings Bonds Series G.....	312.50	U. S. Savings Bonds Series G, due February 1, March 1, April 1 and June 1, 1955.....	50,000.00
Total Receipts.....	36,621.57	U. S. Savings Bonds Series G, due September 1, 1955.....	50,000.00
Total.....	\$660,955.98	U. S. Savings Bonds Series G, due June 1, 1956.....	25,000.00
Less,—Amount of Income from Permanent Fund paid to the Treasurer of Aleppo Temple, per order of Finance Committee.....	14,146.57	U. S. Savings Bonds Series G, due May 1, 1957.....	25,000.00
Amount of Fund, December 31, 1945.....	\$646,809.41	Cash on Deposit—First National Bank of Boston.....	331,000.00
		Amount of Permanent Fund, December 31, 1945.....	14,172.92
			\$646,809.41
		FRANK W. MORRILL, Treasurer of Trustees.	

All deposits in the savings banks, the U. S. Government bonds, and the cash on deposit have been verified by me by examination, in accordance with instructions received from the Finance Committee.

The records of the Treasurer of the Trustees of the Permanent Fund of Aleppo Temple have been examined and found correct.

ALBERT FRUH,
Auditor and Accountant.

January 7, 1946.

Upon motion of the Recorder, duly seconded, Illustrrious Potentate Washington I. Kohnke of Islam Temple, San Francisco, was unanimously elected an Honorary Member of Aleppo Temple.

The 39 candidates elected and present were then escorted into the meeting where they received the Order of the Mystic Shrine and witness the portrayal of the Shrine Ritual by the Ritualistic Degree Team.

Following the ritual work a buffet dinner was served from 5:00 to 7:00 P. M. The Shrine Band, under the direction of Walter Smith, gave a band concert in Grand Hall from 6:15 to 6:45 P. M.

At 7:00 P. M. Illustrrious Potentate Arthur A. Sondheim called the evening meeting to order for business and the annual election of Officers for the Temple.

Illustrrious Potentate Sondheim addressed the Nobility thanking them for their support the past year, especially for the procuring of candidates which resulted in a net gain for the year of 331. He especially thanked his elected and appointed officers whom, he said, assisted him a great deal in the management of the Temple during his year as Potentate.

Following the Illustrrious Potentate's remarks, the election of Officers for the ensuing year was declared in order. Illustrrious Noble Lionel G. H. Palmer was nominated for the office of Potentate by Past Potentate Willard P. Lombard. His nomination was seconded by Recorder

Harvey B. Leggee and there being no further nominations the nominations were closed and he was unanimously elected Potentate for the ensuing year. In his nomination speech, Past Potentate Lombard said, "Lionel G. H. Palmer is President of the General Fireproofing Corporation, a subsidiary of the General Fireproofing Company of Youngstown, Ohio, manufactures of metal business equipment. He has occupied this position for over 30 years. He has also been active in military affairs and was a member of the old 26th Division, retiring in 1936 with the rank of Major. He has also been active in many associations. He is Past President of the Boston Kiwanis Club, Past President of the Army and Navy Club, Past Commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company, and he organized and was the first secretary of the Kenmore Trade Association of Boston. He is a member of Dalhousie Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Newton and St. Omar Commandery of Dorchester. He has gained the heights of achievement in every field of endeavor in which he has entered. He has been an outstanding success in the business world and he will be an outstanding success as the head of Aleppo Temple."

In accepting the office our new Potentate said in part, "Potentates come, Potentates go, and Aleppo continues to prosper. The every day business of the Temple is ably conducted by our Recorder and Treasurer, so that the most the new Potentate can hope to do is to bring to the organization new plans and ideas for its continued growth. My predecessors have done a fine job in that direction."

"I am coming to you with some new ideas and new plans, not only for the continued prosperity of Aleppo Temple, but also more opportunity for the Nobility to meet together and enjoy that wonderful good fellowship that exists among you. I will not go into details at this time but will convey them to you via the Aleppo News."

The election of the Divan Officers resulted in the unanimous election and elevation in the line of the following Officers for 1946, all of whom accepted their respective positions in line and pledged their support to the newly elected Potentate.

Potentate	Lionel G. H. Palmer
Chief Rabban	Justin A. Duncan
Ass't. Rabban	Wallace D. Riddell
High Priest and Prophet	Frank B. Ells
Oriental Guide	N. Russell Lynn
Treasurer	Frank W. Morrill
Recorder	Harvey B. Leggee

Trustee of the Permanent Fund for three Years	Clarence J. McKenzie
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Representatives to the Imperial Council,	
Lionel G. H. Palmer	Willard P. Lombard
Arthur A. Sondheim	Justin A. Duncan.

The newly elected officers were installed in office by Past Potentate Willard P. Lombard following which the retiring Potentate, Illustrious Noble Sondheim, placed the Potentate's Fez upon the head of the newly installed Potentate and relinquished to Noble Palmer the gavel of authority, wishing him the continued support of the Nobles and a successful year during his term of office.

The Potentate of Anah Temple of Bangor, Maine, Dr. Maurice P. King, then presented Potentate Palmer with an honorary membership in Anah Temple. In accepting the same, Illustrious Potentate Palmer assured the Potentate and Nobles of Anah Temple that he heartily appreciated this first greeting as a Potentate of Aleppo, coming from the neighboring state of Maine and it gave him a great deal of pleasure to accept the same.

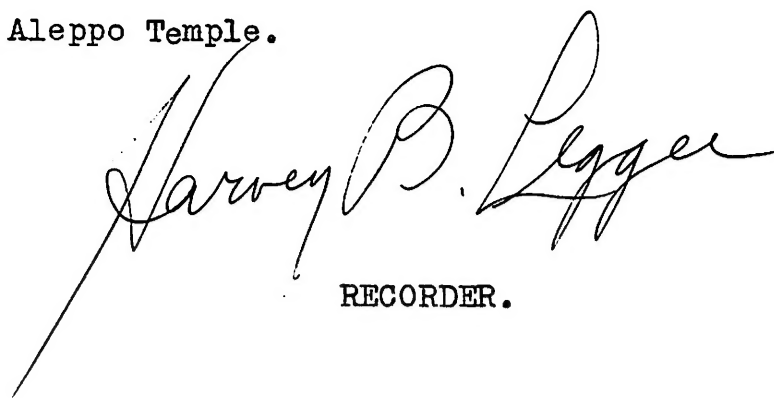
Noble Samuel H. Wragg, the Most Worshipful Grand Master of Masons of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, then pinned upon the breast of Past Potentate Sondheim a Past Potentate's jewel. In this ceremony the Grand Master said, "I have the great pleasure to pin upon your breast this Past Potentate's jewel which I know you will wear with great pleasure. You have been an honor to Aleppo Temple for the past year and I think you have earned this beautiful jewel. I know you will wear it with great honor to yourself and Aleppo Temple."

In addition to the Most Worshipful Grand Master the meeting was attended by many other prominent Masons and Shriners including Frank H. Wilson, Most Eminent Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island; the newly elected Potentate of Anah Temple of Bangor, Maine, Dr. Maurice P. King; and Sergeant Charles K. Barnard, recently returned from overseas duty, who was elected Illustrious Potentate of Bektash Temple of Concord, New Hampshire, January 28, 1946.

There were 3,500 Nobles in attendance at
this Annual Meeting of Aleppo Temple.

A.TRUE COPY:

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Harvey B. Legger". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name "RECORDER."

RECORDER.

A L E P P O T E M P L E .

A. A. O. N. M. S.

Boston, Massachusetts.

Friday, March 29, 1946.

"E S S E L A M U A L E K U M"

On Friday, March 29 the Spring Ceremonial was opened in Paul Revere Hall, Mechanics Building, by Illustrious Potentate Lionel G. H. Palmer, assisted by his Divan of elected and appointed officers.

Upon motion duly seconded it was voted that the ^{reading of} records of the previous meeting be dispensed with.

Upon motion of the Recorder, duly seconded, Illustrious Noble George W. Gray, Potentate of Melha Temple, Springfield; Noble William Tapp, Past Potentate of Philae Temple, Halifax, N. S.; Ralph W. Farris, Chief Rabban of Kora Temple, Lewiston, Maine and ^{Noble} John Jepson, Oriental Guide of Sphinx Temple of Hartford, Connecticut; the latter three representing the Potentate of their respective Temples, were all unanimously elected to Honorary Membership.

Applications having been received from the following 212 aspirants for the Order, a ballot was spread and they were unanimously elected to membership as follows:

LEON F. ALDRICH OF WESTWOOD
HYMAN ALTER OF DORCHESTER
HAROLD T. ANDERSON OF LAWRENCE
HARRY C. ANDREWS OF WATERTOWN
SIDNEY CHARLES ARONSON OF GLOUCESTER

HARRY ARTER OF WORCESTER
H. HEYWORTH BACKUS OF CENTERVILLE
JAMES W. BAKE OF WALTHAM
PERLEY A. BALSER OF PEABODY
RALPH M. BARKER OF GLOUCESTER

WILLIAM P. BATES OF LYNNFIELD
JAMES G. BAXTER OF ANDOVER
SAMUEL BELSON OF BROOKLINE
LEO BERLIN OF CHELSEA
IRVING BERMAN OF EVERETT

EDWARD BERNDT, JR. OF BELMONT
ANTHONY S. BERSACOLA OF MEDFORD
FREDERIC E. BERTRAND, JR. OF SALEM
JOHN J. BLOTNER OF METHUEN
HARRY E. BOORKY OF WORCESTER

ALBERT L. BOOTH OF FALL RIVER
ANDREW P. BRAID OF WORCESTER
CHARLES L. BRIGGS OF CLINTON
WALTER A. BROOKS OF NEEDHAM
RICHARD A. BROWN OF BOSTON

WILLIAM C. BROWN OF EAST LYNN
SIDNEY L. BURNHAM OF LAWRENCE
MARK BURSTON OF ROXBURY
JOSEPH BURWEN OF W. ROXBURY
PHILIP BUTMAN OF SWAMPSCOTT

SAMUEL F. BUTMAN OF LYNN
SIMON BUTMAN OF LYNN
ALEXANDER I. CAMPBELL OF LYNN
EOLD W. CARLSON OF GLOUCESTER
ALEXANDER A. CHANDLER OF DORCHESTER

HAROLD F. CHARD OF HAVERHILL
SAMUEL C. CLAYTON OF DORCHESTER
WALTER M. COBE OF BELMONT
MAURICE S. COHEN OF DORCHESTER
HAWLEY J. COLLINS, JR. OF BRADFORD

HAYDEN S. COLLINS OF HAVERHILL
JAY L. COLLINS OF HAVERHILL
SMITH W. COLLINS OF WEST NEWBURY
GEORGE M. CONNELL OF SAUGUS
WILLIAM J. CONWAY OF MEDFORD

GEORGE W. COUTTS, JR. OF MILTON
LAUCHLAN M. CROCKER OF BARNSTABLE
LOUIS E. DAFGARD OF SOMERSET CENTER
LEVON K. DAGHLIAN OF BELMONT
AUSTIN F. DALEY OF GLOUCESTER

FREEMAN J. DAVIS OF NO. ANDOVER
SPIRO P. DAVIS OF BROOKLINE
WILLIAM S. DEAN OF ROCKPORT
BENJAMIN DE LOTT OF WINTHROP
LOUIS DEMAKES OF LYNN

HOWARD D. DOANE OF HYANNIS
NORMAN E. DOUCETTE OF GLOUCESTER
WALTER C. DOWN OF SOMERVILLE
PRESCOTT R. DROWNE OF WELLESLEY
JOSEPH R. DUBY OF WELLESLEY

THOMAS J. DUDLEY OF FAIRHAVEN
HOWARD W. DURFEE OF FALL RIVER
EDWIN J. DURGAN OF SAUGUS
RUSSELL H. DYER OF SCITUATE
WILBUR F. ELDRIDGE OF MARBLEHEAD

MELVIN ELKIND OF NEWTON
CLINTON D. ESTABROOK OF WORCESTER
GLENDON D. ESTABROOK OF ATHOL
HYMAN H. FAIGEL OF LAWRENCE
HENRY L. FARMER OF AYER

HERMAN A. FAULK OF GLOUCESTER
N. ALSTON FAULK OF GLOUCESTER
WALTER J. FLEMING OF WORCESTER
BERNARD L. FRIEDENBERG OF BROOKLINE
REUBEN H. FROGEL OF E. BRAINTREE

CHARLES D. FULLERTON OF BROCKTON
MAURICE GARBER OF REVERE
HAROLD F. GENS OF ANDOVER
SYDNEY E. GILCHREST OF LYNN
GEORGE J. GOLDBERG OF CHESTNUT HILL

MAX GOLDMAN OF BROOKLINE
PAUL E. GOLDSMITH OF NEWBURYPORT
LOUIS A. GOODMAN OF CHELSEA
NATHAN B. GOODMAN OF BROOKLINE
MAURICE GORDON OF AMESBURY

SAMUEL W. GORDON OF GLOUCESTER
EARL D. GORTON OF ALLSTON
ROBERT L. GRAHAM OF DORCHESTER
ALBERT EDWARD GRANT OF TIVITON, R. I. (RELEASE GRANTED)
DOUGLAS M. GRAY OF WABAN

PHILIP A. GREENE OF HYANNIS
RICHARD R. GREER OF WALTHAM
TRYGVE GULBRANDSEN OF BEVERLY
WILLIAM F. GUSTAFSON OF WESTFORD
LLOYD R. HADLEY OF MARSTONS MILLS

ARTHUR S. HALL OF WORCESTER
ARAM M. HALVAJIAN OF WATERTOWN
JAMES W. HAMILTON OF E. BRAINTREE
HARRY G. HAMMOND OF WATERTOWN
HARRY H. HAMNER OF WINTHROP

MEYER C. HANDEL OF MATTAPAN
SHERMAN G. HARRIMAN OF GLOUCESTER
THORNTON F. HARVEY OF WINCHESTER
WALTER R. HOFFMAN OF LAWRENCE
RICHARD HOYLE OF LOWELL

LEICESTER G. INMAN OF BOSTON
JOSEPH J. ISAACSON OF MATTAPAN
DAVID S. IZEN OF MEDFORD
JAMES J. JAMESON OF BELMONT
SAUL E. JOFTES OF MATTAPAN

CLIFFORD H. JOHNSON OF WOLLASTON
HARRY J. KANGIS OF LYNN
DAVID KAPELSON OF LAWRENCE
BENJAMIN KAPLAN OF AMESBURY
JACOB KAPLAN OF BRIGHTON

HAGOP KARABASHIAN OF LAWRENCE
HAROLD KARP OF MEDFORD
GEORGE H. KIMBALL OF WALTHAM
GEORGE KLINE OF SOMERVILLE
DAVID KRAMER OF DORCHESTER

GEORGE A. KRICK OF DEDHAM
LAWRENCE F. LADD OF WORCESTER
VERNER R. LARSSON OF GLOUCESTER
GEORGE P. LE GROW OF CHELSEA
GEORGE R. LEHRER OF WEST NEWTON

NYMEN M. LEIBSON OF BROOKLINE
HAROLD W. LEITCH OF ANDOVER
LEO VEVENSON OF BROOKLINE
MAURICE LEVIN OF BRIGHTON
LOUIS H. LIBBY OF BOSTON

SAMUEL LIEBERMAN OF MATTAPAN
JOSEPH W. LIMRIC OF NEWTONVILLE
WILLIAM E. LIMRIC OF DOVER
ALBERT W. LOPEZ OF CAMBRIDGE
ROGER H. LORING OF NEWTON LOWER FALLS

RALPH G. LUCAS OF ROCKPORT
EDGAR C. MACNUTT OF ROSLINDALE
EDWARD L. MADOW OF CHELSEA
IRVING I. MAGID OF BOSTON
WALTER J. MC CORKLE OF NAHANT

HUGH W. MC KEE OF WOBURN
DAVID H. MILLER OF BROOKLINE
FRANK E. MILLEY OF REVERE
ROBERT MITCHELL OF EVERETT
FRED H. MORSE, JR. OF NEWBURYPORT

EDGAR A. MOVSESIAN OF HAVERHILL
LEON F. MOWRY OF LAWRENCE
CARL C. MULLEN OF NEWTON CENTRE
RUSSELL D. MUNRO OF LITTLETON
EUGENE M. NOEL OF NEWTON HIGHLANDS

BRUCE C. NORTHEY OF WALTHAM
WILLIAM M. NOYES OF NEWBURYPORT
ELLIS F. OATMAN OF MELROSE
PARKINSON L. ODDY OF METHUEN
LOUIS A. ORPHANOS OF CANTON

HERBERT C. OTTERBERG OF BROCKTON
GORDON E. PEACH OF MARBLEHEAD
WILFRED PEACH OF EVERETT
MAX PELL OF ROXBURY
EDWARD O. PICKERING OF REVERE

HAROLD N. PIKE OF GLOUCESTER
ERNEST C. PILLSBURY OF HAVERHILL
THAYER QUINBY OF MARBLEHEAD
HARRY RICHARDS OF BRIGHTON
PHILIP ROSENBERG OF DORCHESTER

SAM ROSENBERG OF DORCHESTER
MYRON R. ROSENTHAL OF MATTAPAN
RALPH R. ROWELL OF BRADFORD
IRVING RUBIN OF REVERE
ABRAHAM RUNSTEIN OF WINTHROP

EDWARD M. SAARI OF MAYNARD
SYDNEY A. SALAMOFF OF BROOKLINE
MAURICE J. SAMILJAN OF MARBLEHEAD
CHARLES F. SCHNEDL OF WINCHESTER
ARON SCHULMAN OF LEXINGTON

RAYMOND J. SCHUSTER OF NORTH ANDOVER
DAVID SCHWARTZ OF REVERE
HENRY P. SEGEL OF BROOKLINE
DANIEL SEIGAL OF LAWRENCE
BENJAMIN SEIGEL OF BROOKLINE

HAROLD L. SHENKER OF WEST MEDWAY
ANTHONY SIFAKIS OF AYER
IRVING J. SILVERSTEIN OF LAWRENCE
ELMER B. SMITH OF MALDEN
HARRY SOHIGIAN OF WATERTOWN

SAMUEL SOLOD OF WORCESTER
LOUIS STALLINGS OF AMESBURY
ARNOLD R. STONE OF MARBLEHEAD
WALTER C. STONE OF CLINTON
ROBERT SUDHALTER OF MATTAPAN

JOHN S. TATTERFIELD OF MARBLEHEAD
PERCY W. TAYLOR OF MELROSE
ELIAS TERPOS OF DENNIS
ELMER R. TILTON OF NO. BILLERICA
NICHOLAS TOPJIAN OF WATERTOWN

ABRAHAM I. TOYE OF BRIGHTON
ISAAC URETSKY OF BRIGHTON
SHERWOOD H. VAN TASSEL OF LYNN
ADOLPH G. WAHLBERG OF NEEDHAM
OSCAR L. WAHLBERG, SR. OF FOXBORO

DAVID WAXLER OF BROOKLINE
JULIAN S. WEINSTEIN OF NEWTON HIGHLANDS
DANA C. WELLS OF NEWBURYPORT
OTIS M. WHITNEY OF CONCORD
ABRAHAM J. WOLFE OF ROXBURY

RAYMOND F. WRAY OF AVON
HAROLD E. WRIGHT OF WESTFORD
RALPH L. WRIGHT OF HAVERHILL
ROBERT YAS OF BRIGHTON
REGINALD V. YEOMANS OF NATICK

OTTO J. J. ZISCHKA OF AUBURN
EDWARD J. ZISKIND OF LOWELL

Applications were also received from the following
5 petitioners who were elected at this or a previous meeting
but were not present to receive the Order of the Shrine:

BASIL M. PARSONS
JOHN KANDARIAN
ROBERT B. CROCKET, JR.
HARVEY J. FREM
ALFRED VAN ALLEN THOMASON

The 11 former Nobles were REINSTATED
to membership:

Saul Baron
Arthur G. Cohey
David B. Dilyock
Perley P. Hamilton
Gilbert I. Isgur

William D. Leggat
Philip R. Morse
Carl O. Olson
John Paine
George E. Taylor

George S. Yeaton

The following 4 Nobles were AFFILIATED to membership:

William B. Cornett of Boston
Formerly of Aladdin Temple

Frederick J. Dreyer of Somerville
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

Israel R. Freedman of Fall River
Formerly of Ben Hur Temple

Theodore H. Thomas of Bennington, Vt.
Formerly of Aleppo Temple.

The 212 candidates were then ushered into the meeting where they received the Order of the Mystic Shrine and witnessed a portrayal of the ritualistic work by the Ritualistic Degree Team.

Following the afternoon meeting the candidates and members repaired to the banquet hall where they enjoyed one of Aleppo Temple's Ceremonial feasts.

The new Steward, Noble William S. Murray, took over the task of feeding the Nobility on the resignation of Noble Yarlott, who recently moved to New York to accept a new position. He stepped into a big job for his initial achievement and an achievement it was, for when you can gather around you a group of Nobles who can purchase, prepare and serve warm food, cold cuts, salads, ice cream, coffee, drinks, etc., to 4,000 hungry he-man Shriners, all in less than two hours, that is a real job. Noble Murray deserves great credit for his accomplishment.

The evening meeting in Grand Hall was one long to be remembered. Illustrious Potentate Palmer had many distinguished visiting Nobles attending his first Ceremonial, among whom were Potentates, Officers and distinguished Nobles from Temples throughout New England.

An innovation at this meeting was the use of a Hammond Electric Organ with loud speakers, placed in strategic locations in the hall. With that outstanding organist at the console, Noble Harry Rodgers, the introduction of this novelty met with approval by the members. It is planned to make use of this organ again at our June Ceremonial when Noble Rodgers will entertain with his

repertoire of music and will ad lib, musically, during the evening Ceremonial.

Another very successful innovation at this meeting was the broadcasting of a regular radio program from the stage of the Ceremonial. This new feature was the result of the offer of the officials of Radio Station WCOP to have part of their regular evening program emanate from the stage of the Aleppo Ceremonial when it was learned by them that one of their staff wished to join Aleppo but could not be present due to his daily broadcast at 7:10 P. M.

Ralph M. Barker of Gloucester, known as "The Old Salt," broadcasts the weather each day from his studio in Gloucester. He is a member of Bethlehem Commandery No. 43 of Gloucester and wished to become a Shriner. We could not move the Spring Ceremonial to Gloucester so Mr. Barker and his association and corps of technicians moved in on Aleppo Temple. His daily broadcast follows a very interesting resume of late news by Mr. Don Cochrane.

The radio paraphernalia was set upon Grand Hall stage at 6:45 P. M. and after a short comment by Potentate Palmer the 4,000 Shriners present were asked to keep a five minute silence prior to the broadcast. It seemed like an hour while the stage was being set for the dead line of 7:00 P. M. and such was the interest that one could almost hear a pin drop. That alone, is an accomplishment when 4,000 Nobles will sit in silence for five minutes, but they did not begrudge the time and were well paid for their trouble.

At 7:00 P. M. Don Cochrane, News Analyst, went on the air with the following announcement:

"We're speaking to you tonight from the stage of the Mechanics Building in Boston where over 4,000 members of the Mystic Shrine of Aleppo Temple are gathered for their annual Spring Ceremonial. Ralph M. Barker--- better known to you as the "Old Salt"---who follows us every night with his accurate weather forecasts---is becoming a Shriner tonight---and that has a good deal to do with our being here.

Though I'm not a Shriner, I'd like to extend congratulations to "The Old Salt" on the occasion of his induction into this organization which is known the world over for the fine work it has done in establishing hospitals for crippled children---accepting children for treatment whose parents are unable to afford medical care for them---and regardless of their race, creed or color. Here's a verbal handshake to "The Old Salt"---and while I have you Shriners where you have to listen to me---I'd like to tell you, that you're getting a good man."

Following his announcement Mr. Cochrane gave a very interesting ten minute analysis of the day's news, some of the news items being received during his broadcast via telephone from the WCOP Studios direct to the stage at Mechanics Building. At 7:10 P. M. our candidate, Ralph Barker, sitting on the stage with Don Cochrane and wearing the insignia of a candidate of Aleppo Temple took over to broadcast the weather reports. Mr. Cochrane's introduction of candidate Barker was correct when he said, "The Old

Salt" broadcasts "accurate" weather reports. While he was broadcasting, many Nobles were sitting in the meeting with their coats off, enjoying the end of a perfect, warm spring day. He said that, "In another 24 hours a heavy overcoat and ear muffs would feel good." He was correct, as the following evening the mercury fell to several degrees below freezing.

We did not blame "Noble Barker for this change in weather, but did thank him for the tip and we thank Don Cochrane and the officials of WCOP for providing a most interesting innovation for Aleppo's allowing "The Old Salt" to keep his date with the radio public and at the same time become a Shriner.

The band concert by the Shrine Band, with Noble Walter M. Smith leading, was enjoyed by the members as was the evening parade and exhibition drills by the Arab Patrol. During the evening parade and review by the Uniformed Units, under the direction of Major Benjamin R. Vaughan, Potentate Palmer honored visiting Potentate George W. Gray of Melha Temple of Springfield, the honor and privilege of taking the "Review."

The Degree Staff, Director Frank W. Watson in charge, topped off the evening in real Aleppo Style with a rip-roaring forty-five minutes of "hot sands" pyrotechnics that were fast and furious and kept the candidates on their toes and the Nobles on the edge of their seats. Director Watson and his Staff of mischievous Villians handled the neophytes in true "Watsonian style" and assured themselves

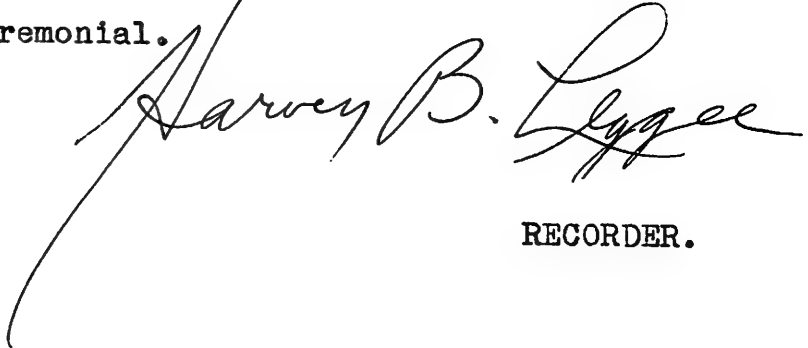
that no candidate would leave without being positive that he had met a band of devilish torturers while crossing the hot sands of Aleppo on their journey to Mecca.

Director Watson and the Degree Staff deserve a lot of credit for the success of this big Spring Ceremonial.

The one-hour vaudeville show following the meeting was likewise an interesting feature of the day and the 4,000 Nobles left that evening with many complimentary remarks for the new Potentate and his Officers who arranged such an outstanding Ceremonial.

A TRUE COPY:

ATTEST:

A large, stylized handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Harvey B. Lygee". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned over the "ATTEST:" line and the "RECORDER." text.

RECORDER.

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

of the

Ancient Arabic Order of the
Nobles of the Mystic Shrine
for North America

(An Iowa Corporation)



San Francisco, Calif.

April 1, 1946

GENERAL ORDERS No. 2,

SERIES OF 1945-1946.

To All Potentates and Recorders of Subordinate Temples:

In considering the matter of approval of By-Laws of subordinate Temples it has come to the attention of the Imperial Potentate and Officers that many By-Laws and Amendments to By-Laws, prepared by subordinate Temples and previously approved, are apparently in conflict with the Imperial Code and By-Laws and contain many provisions and restrictions inimical to the proper operation of subordinate Temples.

It is the order of the Imperial Potentate, approved by resolution of the Board of Directors, that each Temple shall within fifteen (15) days of receipt of this General Order, forward by mail to the Imperial Recorder, a certified copy of its By-Laws.

In the event you do not have separate By-Laws and are operating under the Imperial By-Laws and Code as provided by Article XXXI, Section 276 of the Imperial Code, you are requested to notify the Imperial Recorder accordingly.

Any By-Laws or Amendments submitted for consideration since July, 1945, will not be acted upon until the By-Laws of all subordinate Temples having separate By-Laws have been reviewed.

You are also directed to advise the Imperial Recorder's Office whether or not your Temple is separately incorporated under the corporation laws of your State or any other State.

POTENTATES: Your attention is especially called to Article XXVII, Section 227, which reads as follows:

SEC. 227. PARADES, PERSONS PROHIBITED IN. In the parade of Temples of the Order at annual sessions of the Imperial Council, or in parades given under the auspices of subordinate Temples of the Order, no one shall be permitted to participate but members of the Order, uniformed bodies, and male servants accompanying Temples. No females shall be permitted to participate in parades.

This means that Non-Shriners cannot participate in any parade at an Imperial Council Session.

You are respectfully requested to give immediate attention to the aforesaid matters.

It is directed that this General Orders No. 2 be read at the head of each Temple at the first session following its receipt, and record made of the same upon the minutes of the session at which it is read.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Imperial Council, this 1st day of April, A. D., 1946, and of the Order A. H. 1365.

W. Woodfield

Imperial Potentate.

Attest:



Coretta Jacobs

Imperial Recorder.

RECORDERS: WILL YOU KINDLY ADVISE ALL REPRESENTATIVES THAT IT WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE TO GIVE ANY INFORMATION AS TO HOTEL ASSIGNMENTS UNTIL THE LATTER PART OF MAY.

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

of the
Ancient Arabic Order of the
Nobles of the Mystic Shrine
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OFFICE OF THE IMPERIAL POTENTATE,
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF., June 20, 1946.

GENERAL ORDERS No. 4,
SERIES OF 1945-1946.

CALL FOR THE ANNUAL SESSION OF 1946

*To the Representatives of the Imperial Council, Potentates of Sub-
ordinate Temples and the Nobility of the Order:*

"Es Selamu Aleikum"

You and each of you are hereby notified that the 72nd annual session of the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine for North America will be held in the city of San Francisco, county of San Francisco, State of California, July 23, 24 and 25, 1946.

The official opening of the Imperial Council will be held at 1:30 P. M. on Tuesday, July 23rd or as soon thereafter as practical, and business sessions will follow in regular order. All sessions will be held in the San Francisco War Memorial Opera House located at Van Ness Avenue and Grove Street.

It is planned to start the escort parade at 9:00 A. M. on Tuesday morning.

The St. Francis, Sir Francis Drake and Palace Hotels have been selected as headquarters for the Imperial Council and will be used for housing Representatives.

REGISTRATION

Registration headquarters will be opened in the St. Francis Hotel at 1:00 P. M. Sunday, July 21st and will remain open until 6:00 P. M. On Monday, July 22nd, registration headquarters will be open from 9:00 A. M. to 10:00 P. M., and on Tuesday, July 23rd, registration headquarters will be open from 7:00 A. M. until 9:00 A. M. In order to register, Representatives must present properly signed credentials and are requested to present themselves promptly at registration headquarters to sign the register and receive their official badges.

BANQUETS, LUNCHEONS, ETC.

The Imperial Potentate's banquet for Representatives and their ladies will be held at the Palace Hotel on Tuesday, July 23rd at 7:00 P. M. Each Representative will be entitled to one lady's ticket. Representatives' luncheons will be served to all Representatives at the Whitcomb Hotel, Market Street between Eighth and Ninth Streets, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. You will be advised of other social affairs through the medium of a program to be issued by the host temple.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO RECORDERS

In order that proper tribute may be paid to our departed Nobility, Recorders of subordinate temples are requested to send direct to Stanton A. Bruner, Chairman, 1012 Architects Building, Los Angeles 13, California immediately, memoranda relative to distinguished Nobles of their membership who have died since the last session of the Imperial Council. The Committee on Necrology is dependent on the cooperation of Recorders for this information.

NOTICE TO POTENTATES AND RECORDERS

Due to a special meeting of the Board of Trustees, Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, in Portland, Oregon on July 16th, it will be necessary for the Imperial Recorder to leave Richmond at noon on Friday, July 12th. The Imperial Recorder's office will be opened in San Francisco on Thursday, July 18th. In order to expedite the work of the office and facilitate the necessary preparation of reports to the Imperial Council, it would be a great accommodation in this busy period if the Potentates and Recorders would forward any changes in Representatives to Richmond so as to reach the Imperial Recorder's office on or before Wednesday, July 10th. Any communications in reference to appointment of Representatives that cannot reach the Richmond office on or before this date should be forwarded to the Imperial Recorder, in care of the St. Francis Hotel, San Francisco.

IMPORTANT: In the matter of appointing Representatives, you are referred to Section 18 of Article IV, which makes it mandatory that any appointment of a Representative, to be effective and allow the seating of an appointed Representative, must be received by the Imperial Recorder before 9:00 A. M. on Sunday, July 21st.

IMPORTANT MEETING OF POTENTATES AND CHIEF RABBANS

On Thursday, July 25th, 9:00 to 10:30 A. M., all Potentates and Chief Rabbans in attendance at this session of the Imperial Council, are urged and expected to attend an important Round Table discussion to be conducted by Deputy Imperial Potentate George H. Rowe. At the request of the Deputy Imperial Potentate, Potentates of temples who publish a monthly, quarterly, or, in fact, any temple publication are requested to bring at least one copy of such publication. This meeting is not restricted to Potentates and Chief Rabbans, and any members of the Imperial Council or Recorders are cordially invited to this Round Table discussion. The meeting will be held in the San Francisco War Memorial Opera House, and the Imperial Council will convene immediately following the close of this meeting at 10:30 A. M.

COMMITTEES

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Time and Place

George H. Rowe, Ismailia Temple; Karl Rex Hammers, Syria Temple; E. W. Jacocks, Aleppo Temple.

Advisory as Authorized by the By-Laws

George W. Hunt, (*Southeastern Representative*), Alee Temple; Washington Irving Kohnke (*Pacific Coast Representative*), Islam Temple; George F. Morrison (*Midwestern Representative*), Moolah Temple; John H. Dominick (*Northeastern Representative*), Ismailia Temple.

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Nomination of Emeriti Members

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Special Resolutions

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Short History of the Shrine

Albert Ellis, *Chairman*, Maskat Temple; Walter F. Fancourt, Jr., *Vice-Chairman*, Lu Lu Temple; Louis N. Donnatin, Mecca Temple; Frank C. Roundy, Medinah Temple; Francis E. Wilms, Ansar Temple; Parry Barnes, Ararat Temple; Robert E. Dively, Jaffa Temple.

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Wm. H. Woodfield, Jr., *Chairman*, Islam Temple; George H. Rowe, *Vice-Chairman*, Ismailia Temple; Karl Rex Hammers, Syria Temple; Howard B. McKinley, Islam Temple—Director General of Shrine Victory Convention, Inc.

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Registration Assistants

Clark W. MacKenzie, Saladin Temple; T. E. Stinson, Moslem Temple; Ernest L. Hurst, Al Malaikah Temple.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

There has been no proposed legislation received from any subordinate Temple or from any member of the Imperial Council.

GENERAL OBSERVATIONS

Illustrious Potentate Washington I. Kohnke and the Nobility of Islam Temple have prepared an attractive program for the entertainment of the Imperial Council.

It is suggested that it would simplify the details of registration if the Representatives of the various Temples will arrange to register at the same time if this can be done conveniently.

Attention is called to the fact that each Representative in coming to the Imperial Council, should not overlook his credentials, his current card, and his hotel assignment card. If he contemplates using his Directory at the meeting, he should not neglect to bring his individual copy with him.

The Board of Trustees, Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children, will meet in the St. Francis Hotel Friday, July 19th, at 10:00 A. M.

The Jurisprudence and Laws Committee will meet in its committee room in the St. Francis Hotel on Sunday afternoon, July 21st.

Other committees will get into action on Sunday, Monday or Tuesday, as the occasion requires, in the St. Francis Hotel. There is ample space at the San Francisco War Memorial Opera House to take care of any committee meetings necessary during the session.

Given under our hands and the seal of the Imperial Council, this twentieth day of June, A. D., 1946, and of the Order, A. H., 1365.



Imperial Potentate

Imperial Potentate.
(President)

Attest:

Imperial Recorder

Imperial Recorder.
(Secretary).

SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

(A Colorado Corporation)



RICHMOND, VA., June 20, 1946.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN,
a Colorado Corporation:

You and each of you are hereby notified that the annual meeting of Shriners Hospitals for Crippled Children will be held in the City of San Francisco, County of San Francisco, State of California, on July 23rd, 24th, and 25th, 1946.



SHRINERS HOSPITALS FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN,
a Colorado Corporation.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Everett W. Jacobs".

Secretary.

A L E P P O T E M P L E

A. A. O. N. M. S.

Boston, Massachusetts

Friday, June 28, 1946.

"E S S E L A M U A L E K U M ."

A regular Ceremonial of Aleppo Temple was opened on the above date in Mechanics Building, Boston for the transaction of business and initiation of candidates.

The afternoon business meeting was opened in Paul Revere Hall by Illustrious Potentate Lionel G. H. Palmer assisted by his elected and appointed officers.

Upon motion duly seconded it was voted that the reading of the records of the previous meeting be dispensed with. Upon motion duly seconded, Noble Joseph W. Rines of Hollywood, California, to Honorary Membership.

Applications having been received from the following 290 aspirants for the Order a ballot was spread and they were unanimously elected to membership as follows:

CLYDE FRANCIS AKINS OF WAREHAM
MYRON GERARD ALPERT OF WINTHROP
ARDASHES DER ANANIAN, SR. OF ARLINGTON
JULES EDWARD ANGOFF OF BRIGHTON
MICHAEL JAMES BAKER OF QUINCY

EDWIN HARRIS BARBOUR OF NEEDHAM
BURTON ALMONT BARSTOW OF BOSTON
MAYNARD RAY BARTON OF READING
FREDERICK EMORY BATES OF WORCESTER
ROY IVORY BEATHARD OF QUINCY

FRED BURNS BELL OF READING
RICHARD HOBSON BELOFF OF ROCKPORT
FRANK CLARENCE BERGSTROM OF NORWOOD
CHARLES MILLER BESTICK OF BRAINTREE
LEROY C. BESTICK OF BRAINTREE

JAMES ARTHUR BESWICK OF WATERTOWN
LESTER FRANCIS BICKNESS OF SAUGUS
CHARLES WESLEY BIGGS OF WOLLASTON
HAROLD EDWARD BLACKBURN OF FRAMINGHAM
ABRAHAM BLACKMAN OF FALL RIVER

FREDERICK MAURICE BLENKHORN OF EAST MILTON
ALEXANDER BLINDER OF CHELSEA
ABRAHAM SAMUEL BLOOM OF BRIGHTON
WILLIAM CARL BLOOM OF NORWOOD
ISRAEL MICHEAL BLUM OF WEST ROXBURY

EDWARD EVERETT BOND OF ANDOVER
FREDERIC CLINTON BOOMER OF ARLINGTON
HAMILTON D. BORIS OF MILTON
LOUIS BORNSTEIN OF BRIGHTON
PAUL BORNSTEIN OF MALDEN

HERBERT HOLLAND BOWLES OF BROCKTON
ARTHUR WIMBOURNE BRANNEN OF BROOKLINE
EDWARD CHESTER BRIGGS OF WESTON
BENJAMIN H. BRIGHTMAN OF BROOKLINE
ORELLO SIMMONS BUCKNER OF NORTHBORO

OLIVER JOHN BUNTEN OF CAMBRIDGE
JOHN DIMOND BUTTRICK OF READING
PETER SPIRO CALIMERIS OF QUINCY
ROBERT FULTON CAREY OF EAST FALMOUTH
ALBERT NICANOR CARLSON OF FITCHBURG

EVERETT CARLETON CARY OF BABSON PARK
SVEN TURE GUSTAV ADOLV CEDERSTROM OF BOSTON
CHARLES HASTINGS CHASE OF FRAMINGHAM
HENRY ATWELL CHESMORE OF HOLLISTON
ROBERT JOHN CHIABRANDY OF SAUGUS

HARRY SATERK CHINIAN OF WEST NEWTON
ELMER W. CLARKE OF NORTON
ARTHUR MELVILLE CLARRY OF NASHUA
CHARLES CLAYMAN OF CAMBRIDGE
HARRY WILLIS CLEVELAND OF MANOMET

(RELEASE GRANTED)

ALFRED COHEN OF NEWTON
ISIDORE COLMES OF BROOKLINE
MAX COLMES OF NEWTON
HAROLD BARROWS COLPITTS OF WESTON
HAROLD THOMAS COOKE OF HAVERHILL

ROY FRANCIS COOKE OF ATHOL
BERNARD EUGENE COWPERTHWAITTE OF READING
ROBERT BUCHANAN CROCKET, JR. OF ANDOVER
EDWARD DOWNER CROISSANT OF BELMONT
RALPH NORMAN CUMMINGS OF GREENWOOD

CHARLES EDWIN DARNELL OF TAUNTON
CHESTER HARRY DAY OF WINCHESTER
JAMES FOWLER DEMAINE OF WAKEFIELD
WILLIAM EDWARD DOTEN OF NO. READING
GEORGE HARRISON DRESSER, JR. OF E. BRAINTREE

ALAN LAURENCE DRURY OF NEEDHAM
GEORGE LEANDRE DUBOIS OF BELMONT
CHARLES RICHARD DUGDALE OF FAIRHAVEN
ALFRED NEWTON DUNNELL OF BELMONT
FREDERICK WESTON EAMES OF MEDFORD

THOMAS ALVIN EASTMAN OF FALMOUTH
BARNEY EDELSTEIN OF ALLSTON
SAMUEL EHRENHAUS OF FALL RIVER
WARREN ARCHIBALD EICHEL OF BOSTON
NATHAN SNOW ELLIS, JR. OF FALMOUTH

WILLIS A. ELLIS OF ATHOL
LOUIS ENDLER OF NEWTON CENTER
GEORGE GIBBS ENGEL OF ATHOL
MEYER FRANK ENGLANDER OF MILTON
DANIEL EPSTEIN OF BROOKLINE

THEODORE FEINSTEIN OF BROOKLINE
MAX FELDMAN OF BRIGHTON
MELVIN FENTON OF BROCKTON
JOSEPH POLLOCK FINESTONE OF WINTHROP
DAVID FISHER OF DORCHESTER

JESSE PHILIP FISHER OF BROOKLINE
MARTIN FISHER OF MATTAPAN
FREEMAN WILFORD FOLLETT OF GROVELAND
JOSEPH F. FOLLOMON OF SOMERVILLE
JOHN ROBERT FOSTER OF WELLESLEY

RICHARD BRADLEY FOX OF WELLESLEY HILLS
HAL MILTON FREEDE OF DORCHESTER
WENDELL ROBERT FREEMAN OF DORCHESTER
GEORGE EDWARDS FREETHY OF WATERTOWN
MAURICE SAMUEL FRIEDLAND OF EVERETT

MORRIS PRATT FROST OF FALMOUTH
ARTHUR SAMUEL FUDGE, JR. OF SOMERVILLE
WARREN E. FULLER OF ATTLEBORO
NATHAN GANS OF BROOKLINE
COLBY CLARENCE GETCHELL OF DANVERS

CHESTER PATTEN GIBSON OF SAUGUS
FREDERICK W. GLAMM, JR. OF LYNN
LOUIS LEO GLAZER OF BROOKLINE
CHARLES LOGAN GODFREY OF READING
ELI BRAUN GOLDBERG OF BROOKLINE

CLAYTON EUGENE KNOWLTON OF PETERSHAM
ALFRED ARTHUR KOEHLER OF NEW BEDFORD
ALLEN JACOB KORITSKY OF ALLSTON
ROBERT MATHEW KRAMER OF LYNN
SHERMAN M. KRAMER OF LYNN

ABE W. KUTNER OF DORCHESTER
GEORGE LAING OF NO. QUINCY
CHARLES ALEXANDER LAMB OF WEST NEWTON
AUGUSTUS COLBURN LEAR OF LEOMINSTER
BURTON ROBERT LEVENSON OF BROOKLINE

HAROLD ELIOT LEVINE OF BROOKLINE
SAMUEL LEVINE OF BRIGHTON
MORRIS LEVITEN OF FALL RIVER
CHARLES LEONARD LEWIS OF MILTON
WILBUR FRANKLIN LEWIS OF MEDFORD

LOUIS LEZBERG OF ROXBURY
L. BLAINE LIBBEY OF MILFORD
HERBERT RALPH LIEBERMANN OF AUBURNDALE
WILLIAM JOHN LOCKHARD OF FALMOUTH
ARTHUR IRVING LONGWELL OF WORCESTER

ALLEN ROY MACCABE OF MILFORD
REUBEN MAC COURT OF SOMERVILLE
NATHAN MAGHLIN OF ROXBURY
ANGUS JOHN MACKILLOP OF QUINCY
OTTO ALLAN SMITH MAC KINNON OF WAREHAM

HERBERT W. MACLEOD OF NO. READING
EMIL ARVID MAKI OF FITCHBURG
DEMETRI GEORGE MANESIOTIS OF LOWELL
EDMOND GEORGE MAPLE OF WATERTOWN
ALFRED MARUM OF ANDOVER

ARNOLD MARUM OF ANDOVER
ALLEY ELLSWORTH MC INNIS OF WOLLASTON
ROBERT WILLIAM MENZIES OF MALDEN
ELLIS MICHELSON OF LYNN
HYMAN MILLEN OF DORCHESTER

RODERICK MORRISON MITCHELL OF ASHLAND
JESSE CLINTON MORAN OF HINGHAM
JAMES GEORGE MOSES OF BOSTON
JOHN GEORGE MOSESIAN OF BRIGHTON
JOSEPH WILLIAM MOZZER OF WEST ROXBURY

MEYER NADELBERG OF BRIGHTON
MORRIS NATHAN OF BROOKLINE
JOSEPH DONALD NOONAN, SR. OF WORCESTER
LAURENCE GUNNISON NOURSE OF NORTON
EARDLEY FRANCIS NOWERS OF SHARON

MYER THEODORE ORNSTEEN OF HAVERHILL
ASA CHARLES OSBORN OF NO. WEYMOUTH
MELVIN SAMUEL PAINTON OF MARLBORO
CHARLES BURTON PALMER OF MEDFORD,
DONALD SCOTT PALMER OF GEORGETOWN

MAURICE L. PAPP OF DORCHESTER
EVERETT TASKER PARKER OF FAIRHAVEN
BASIL MORSE PARSONS OF FRANKLIN
MALBORNE JEWETT PEABODY OF QUINCY
JOHN PELTO OF FITCHBURG

JOSEPH LEVI PENDERGAST OF READING
ABRAHAM PENN OF PLYMOUTH
MILTON GARFIELD PERRY OF NORTON
WILLIAM W. PETERS OF FALMOUTH
SVEN ARTHUR PETERSON OF LEXINGTON

JOHN W. PICKERING OF SOMERVILLE
GEORGE SHERWOOD PIERCE OF NORTON
DOUGLAS THOMPSON PRAHL OF FRAMINGHAM
STANLEY EDWARD PRIGGEN OF SO. WEYMOUTH
SIMON PRIVES OF ROXBURY

FREDERICK ROLAND PROFIT OF WORCESTER
CHARLES CLARK PULLEN OF BOSTON
RALPH LESTER PURRINGTON OF WINCHESTER
KARL REABER, JR. OF TAUNTON
ELLSWORTH WILLIAM READ OF WELLESLEY HILLS

HENRY RANSFORD REED OF STONEHAM
CLARK ALTON RICHARDSON OF STONEHAM
HAROLD ARTHUR RIDINGS OF SAUGUS
GEORGE LEWIS ROBERTS OF NEWTON
CHARLES E. ROBINSON OF SHERBORN

MAXWELL HERBERT ROBINSON OF LOWELL
ROY DANIEL ROBINSON OF BELMONT
SAMUEL H. ROGERS OF MILTON
BARNEY BARKAN ROGOLS OF MALDEN
NATHAN ROSEN OF BRIGHTON

JACOB LOUIS RUDD OF CAMBRIDGE
JULIUS SAUL SAEL OF MATTAPAN
IRVING JULIUS SALTZ OF CHELSEA
ALFRED CARL SANDBERG OF MALDEN
EDWIN G. A. SANDSTROM OF DEDHAM

PAUL WENTWORTH SAVAGE OF WORCESTER
CLARENCE ALBERT SAWYER OF MALDEN
MORRIS SCHNEIDER OF CHELSEA
FRED CHIPMAN SEARS OF WORCESTER
CHARLES HOWARD SEAVEY OF CANTON

PAUL WILLIAM SENFLEBEN OF BEVERLY
RALPH CARL SHOREY OF LEXINGTON
BURTON BOUTWELL SMITH OF LYNN
HARRIS ARTHUR SMITH OF WORCESTER
HENRY FAXON SMITH OF HARWICH

RALPH THEODORE SOBELL OF BRIGHTON
CHESTER HENRY SQUIRES OF ARLINGTON
CARL BIRGER STENSTROM OF BOSTON
MAX STERMAN OF BROOKLINE
WILLIAM ALEXANDER STEWART OF WAKEFIELD

ARTHUR RUEL STRAW OF FALL RIVER
SEYMOUR HARVEY SUGARMAN OF FALL RIVER
ERNEST FOLKE SWANSON OF EAST LYNN
ALVIN JENNINGS TAYLOR OF WAKEFIELD
ROBERT WILBUR TEDFORD OF FRANKLIN

WILLIAM LOMAX TEMPLER OF SWAMPSCOTT
ALBERT LEO TETZLAFF OF GARDNER
CLYDE S. THOMAS OF MIDDLEBORO
ALBERT DAKIN TILTON OF SO. DARTMOUTH
RAYMOND DEARBORN TOOTHAKER OF READING

GEORGE R. THAYER OF FALMOUTH
FRANKLIN THOMPSON TOWLE OF WEST ROXBURY
FREDERICK H. TULLAR OF LEXINGTON
JOHN ERIC TURNER OF ATTLEBORO
JOSIAH WINFRED TURNER OF HOLLISTON

HENRY URETSKY OF MATTAPAN
HENDRIK VAN TOL OF FALMOUTH
CLARENCE WILLIAM WALLACE OF ROSLINDALE
ASA WILBUR WALLS OF WALTHAM
EDWARD RICHARD WALSH OF JAMAICA PLAIN

RICHARD G. WAMBOLT OF WEST NEWTON
EDWARD JOSEPH WANNLUND OF BELMONT
JOSEPH OSTERGREN WARD OF MELROSE
ARTHUR EDWIN WARDWELL OF NO. READING
MORTIMER HALL WELLS OF ARLINGTON

CLARENCE ROYAL WESTAWAY OF BOSTON
HERBERT GORDON WESTON OF HOLLISTON
WILLIAM H. WHITE OF READING
GEORGE I. WHITEHEAD, JR. OF NEWTONVILLE
SIDNEY ROBERT WILLIAMSON OF W. NEWTON

HENRY EDWARD WILSON OF WELLESLEY
KENNETH INGERSOLL WILSON OF ARLINGTON
RAYMOND JULIUS WOOD OF PEABODY
OLIVER DEXTER WOODS OF FRAMINGHAM
GEORGE HELLMAN YAFFEE OF NEWTON

HYMAN YANCO OF DORCHESTER
RALPH W. YOUNG OF FRANKLIN
LAWRENCE E. ZILCH OF NO. ATTLEBORO
ABRAHAM ZISKIND OF FALL RIVER
ALBERT HAROLD ZONN OF BRIGHTON

Applications were also received from the following
9 petitioners who were elected at this or previous meetings
but were not present to receive the Order of the Shrine.

EDGAR HALL BEALS
ARTHUR BELL COLGATE
ARNOLD WALTON DYER
HARVEY JEROME FREM
MAX JACOB PACKER
JAMES RUSSELL SCOTT
MORRIS THOMAS SILVERSTEIN
FRANK MC CLENNAN STEVENS
ALFRED VAN ALLEN THOMASON

A petition was also received from David Fisher of
Dorchester but a letter of objection having been filed signed
by three members of the Temple, the petitioner was declared
rejected according to Shrine law.

The following 19 former Nobles were reinstated to
membership:

Wallace I. Bacon
Arthur R. G. Booth
Ernest W. Borden
Charles Randall Burleigh
George Harris

Norman A. Jorgensen
Wendell Phillips Keene
Abraham Levenson
Frank H. Merrill
George W. Schaefer

Robert D. Starr
George Nichols Stevens
Herman Carl Taylor
Louis E. Timson
Moses Waterman

Richard W. Wetmore
Raymond H. Wilbur
Arthur G. Wilcox
James Francis Williams

The following 7 Nobles were affiliations:

Lewis Augustus Barker, Jr. of Melrose
Formerly of Al Koran Temple

Walter Bennett of Franklin, Mass.,
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

Melha Temple A.A.O.N.M.S.



DR. GEORGE W. GRAY
ILLUSTRIOUS POTENTATE
347 WORTHINGTON STREET
TELEPHONE 6-3647

SPRINGFIELD - MASSACHUSETTS

CARL P. REILLY
RECORDER
347 WORTHINGTON STREET
TELEPHONE 6-3647

May 14, 1946

Mr. Harvey B. Leggee
Recorder, Aleppo Temple
97 Huntington Ave.
Boston, Mass.

Dear Harvey:

This is to advise you that your
candidate Captain John Kandarian of 103 West St.,
Worcester was obligated by Melha Temple at our
Ceremonial on May 4th.

With kindest regards, I am

Yours in the Faith,

Carl P. Reilly, Past Potentate
Recorder

CPR:MTW

BEKTASHI TEMPLE

A.A.O.N.M.S. CONCORD, N.H.

J. MELVIN DRESSER, RECORDER

44 SOUTH MAIN STREET

CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

June 22, 1946

Harvey B. Leggee
Recorder
Aleppo Temple
Boston

Dear Noble Harvey:

Re Brother ARTHUR MELVILLE CLARRY, Manchester St.
Nashua, New Hampshire:-

Noble Charles Henry Barnard, Ill. ∴ Potentate of Bektash Temple, instructs me to say to you that it gives him extreme pleasure to grant a release of jurisdiction over the above named. He is now the material of Aleppo.

With sincere regards, I am

Yours in the Faith,

J. Melvin Dresser
J. Melvin Dresser

Recorder.

Donald Coleman of Melrose
Formerly of Al Koran Temple

Henry T. Meyer of Arlington
Formerly of Kalurah Temple

John Mussen of Lowell
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

William S. Osborne of West Newton
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

Erford Wilson Poole of No. Dartmouth
Formerly of Aleppo Temple.

The 290 candidates elected and present were then ushered into the meeting where they received the Order of the Mystic Shrine and witnessed a portrayal of the ritualistic work by the Aleppo Temple Ritualistic Degree Team.

Following the initiation of candidates and degree work a buffet dinner was served in the banquet hall by Steward William S. Murray and his corps of assistants.

The 3100 Nobles present at this meeting had been filled to capacity and the dining room closed when it was found that there was food to spare. However, this extra food did not go to waste as in true Shrine spirit the steward rushed the perishable food to the Home for Destitute Children where it was used to good advantage.

The evening meeting in Grand Hall was an outstanding success with the nearly 300 candidates adding to the entertainment of the evening. Although the weather was warm and the members sat through the evening in their shirt sleeves, they were very happy that they were not one of the candidates who were treated to plenty of excess heat by Director Watson and his

wrecking crew. However, both the Nobility and the candidates seemed to enjoy this outstanding summer ceremonial which closed the activities of the Temple for the summer season.

The band concert given before the evening meeting by Noble Walter M. Smith, Band Leader, and the Aleppo Temple Band, was enjoyed by the Nobles present as was also a concert by Noble Harry Rodgers with his Hammond Electric Organ.

A one hour "Hot Sands" second section initiation by the Director and his degree staff was "enjoyed" by the candidates as well as by the Nobles present and there was no doubt in the minds of the working candidates as to their having been made Nobles of the Mystic Shrine in due and Arabic form.

A short vaudeville show following the meeting was also an interesting feature of the evening; Noble Charles W. Pike having procured the best vaudeville talent in the city for this closing feature.

A TRUE COPY:

ATTEST:

Harvey B. Legge
RECORDER.

A L E P P O T E M P L E

A . A . O . N . M . S .

BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

Friday, November 29, 1946

"E S S E L A M U A L E I K U M "

The Annual Fall Ceremonial and Business Meeting of Aleppo Temple was held in Paul Revere Hall, Mechanics Building, Boston, Massachusetts, Friday, November 29, 1946 for the transaction of business and the election and obligation of candidates.

Upon motion duly seconded it was voted that the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with.

Upon motion duly seconded the following distinguished Nobles were elected to Honorary Membership in Aleppo Temple:

George H. Balfour, Recorder, Media Temple
Walter C. Guy, P. P. Ararat Temple and Imp. Outer Guard
Guy Johnston, Recorder Emeritus, Saladin Temple
John Collins, Potentate Scimitar Temple
Carl A. Riebling, Chief Rabban, Ismailia Temple
Carl W. Kempke, Director of Ismailia Temple
Quinn Glover, Recorder, Scimitar Temple
William B. Nulty, Potentate, Kora Temple.
CHARLES C. GRIMMONS, ALEPPO TEMPLE

Upon motion duly seconded the Temple unanimously ratified the action of the Illustrious Potentate and Recorder in granting a release of jurisdiction since the last regular meeting of the Temple to Palestine Temple of Providence, R. I. in the names of Willard Allan Flemming of Attleboro and Robert Rhodes of South Attleboro. Also a release of jurisdiction to Cairo Temple of Rutland, Vermont over Emerson C. Gill of Saugus, Massachusetts.

Upon motion of the Recorder duly seconded it was unanimously voted that a committee be appointed to secure a Past Potentate's jewel to be presented to the Illustrious Potentate,

Lionel G. H. Palmer, at the annual meeting in January, 1947.

Chief Rabban Justin A. Duncan then read the following amendment of the by-laws which was ordered by the Potentate to take its regular course to come up for action at the next meeting of the Temple.

Amend By-Laws by striking out Article IV, Section 1 and substituting therefor the following:

ARTICLE IV

1. There shall be a Finance Committee consisting of five Past Potentates of this Temple duly elected for a term of five years, starting January, 1948. After the adoption of these amendments to the By-Laws, a Finance Committee of five members shall be appointed forthwith by the Potentate who shall serve until the next annual election at which time one member shall be elected for a period of one year, one member for a period of two years, one member for a period of three years, one member for a period of four years, and one member for a period of five years, and thereafter one member shall be elected annually for a five year term, and until his successor is elected and qualified.
2. The Potentate within a month after his election shall submit to the Finance Committee an estimated budget of the Temple's expenses for the calendar year predicated upon the anticipated income and expenses for said period, and after it is considered, the Finance Committee shall set up a budget for the calendar year which may be altered or changed by the Committee to conform to the needs of the Temple. The Potentate may, if he deems it necessary or advisable, incur and pay, through the Treasurer, debts, claims or obligations of the Temple outside of the budget provided, and without previous authorization or approval of the Committee, until such time as the total of the same equals the sum of \$2,000.00.
3. The committee shall examine all bills, accounts, claims or demands of whatever character, giving their approval before the same shall be paid by the Treasurer. No bill, account, claim or demand shall be paid before it has been examined and approved by the Finance Committee and the payment thereof directed by said Committee and no check or voucher in payment of any such bill, account, claim or demand shall be signed by the Treasurer until the same shall have been so approved by at least a majority of the Committee.
4. The approval of the Finance Committee shall, in all cases, mean approval by a majority of the entire Committee.
5. Whenever any member of the Committee is unable to serve by reason of disability, or a vacancy exists because of death or resignation, the Potentate shall appoint another to serve until the next annual election.

Also amend By-Laws by striking out Section 5 and Section 4 of Article III and substituting for Section 4 the following: The Finance Committee shall annually appoint an auditor who shall examine the books, accounts, cash on hand, and securities of the Treasurer, Recorder, and Board of Trustees as soon as possible after the close of the financial year of the Temple and report thereon at the annual meeting in January.

Also amend Section 8 of Article III by striking out the words "drawn on the Treasury" in the second line thereof, and substitute therefore the words "and bills authorized or approved," so that the same will read as follows:

"Section 8. The Treasurer shall receive in charge all the revenue of the Temple; pay all orders and bills authorized or approved by the Finance Committee, and render a just and faithful account at the annual session, and also when required by the Finance Committee or by vote of the Temple. He shall promptly deliver to his successor in office all the property and funds of the Temple he may have in his possession."

Applications were received from the following
270 aspirants for the Order and a ballot being spread
they were elected (with the exception of those starred).

FRANK H. ABBOTT OF BROCKTON
HOWARD J. ABRAMSON OF BROOKLINE
HENRY H. ADAMS OF SOMERVILLE
JOHN H. AIKENS OF GLOUCESTER
DAVID ALFORD OF BOSTON

EUGENE E. ALLEN OF MILFORD
LEO ALLEN OF NEWTON
JOHN ALLES OF CAMBRIDGE
CARL A. ANDERSON OF MALDEN
HERBERT E. ANDERSON OF FALMOUTH

MALCOLM GOODWIN AYERS OF NEWBURYPORT
RALPH OWEN BALLENTINE OF MELROSE
SIMPSON L. BARBER OF DORCHESTER
JOHN S. BARNES OF WINCHESTER
GEORGE E. BARTON OF LEOMINSTER

DAVID BEAL OF WINTHROP
*EDGAR H. BEALS OF NEEDHAM
ROBERT S. BECK OF BRAINTREE
LOUIS BENJAMIN OF BROCKTON
FRANK O. BERG OF MALDEN

DELPHIS E. BIBEAU OF WORCESTER
LOTHROP M. BOEHME OF MIDDLEBORO
HORACE W. BOYNTON OF ARLINGTON
CARL V. V. BRADFORD OF WABAN
CURTIS H. BRITTON OF HAVERHILL

HARRY A. BRITTON OF BRADFORD
JOHN O. BROBERG OF WINTHROP
EUGENE BROWN OF ROXBURY
JAMES D. T. BROWN OF WOBURN
LEONARD BROWN OF ROXBURY

JOSEPH L. BUDD OF MATTAPAN
EDWARD C. BURG OF ARLINGTON
NOEL R. CAMP OF ARLINGTON
CARL F. CARLSON OF WATERTOWN
E. JON CARLSON OF BOSTON

JOHN N. CARR OF WORCESTER
LEROY M. CASE OF WOBURN
GEORGE S. CHALETZKY OF ATLANTIC
G. MERTON CHRISTIANSON OF SHREWSBURY
LEONARD COHEN OF REVERE

ROBERT J. COHEN OF NEW BEDFORD
MURRAY D. COLE OF SOUTH BOSTON
SAMUEL COLE OF DORCHESTER
LESLIE F. COLES OF BRADFORD
* ARTHUR B. COLGATE OF MEDFORD

ARTHUR C. COREY OF LAWRENCE
FRANK D. CORSON OF FRAMINGHAM
DAVID S. CRILLY OF CAMBRIDGE
ERNEST A. CROSSLAND OF MALDEN
CHARLES W. CUMMINGS OF MEDFORD

ARTHUR G. CURRIER OF NEWBURYPORT
DINO DI CARLO OF NEWTON HIGHLANDS
EARL K. DIVOLL OF LEOMINSTER
GEORGE R. DIXON OF WALTHAM
ARNOLD L. DOLGIN OF MALDEN

CHARLES DOLINSKY OF SOMERSET CENTER
THARALD DRIVDAHL OF FAIRHAVEN
WILLIAM DRONSFIELD OF BEVERLY
CHESTER J. DUNN OF SOMERVILLE
HERBERT M. DUNN OF WEST NEWTON

PATTEN W. DUNN OF LYNN
* ARNOLD W. DYER OF PALMOUTH
CLIFFORD I. ELLIOTT OF BELMONT
DANIEL E. ELLIS OF PLYMOUTH
GEORGE A. ELZ OF QUINCY

LESLIE B. FALES OF TOPSFIELD
MOSES FALTHZIK OF ROXBURY
NATHAN J. FEDERMAN OF CHESTNUT HILL
GEORGE A. FELLOWS OF SOMERVILLE
EDWARD FERESTIEN OF FOXBORO

ISRAEL L. FINE OF BROOKLINE
LOUIS FISHTINE OF ROXBURY
DAVID P. FOSS OF ESSEX
THEODORE L. FOWLER OF WABAN
ROBERT S. FOX OF HAVERHILL

*HARVEY J. FREM OF MILLBURY
WILLIAM GELFOND OF BROOKLINE
PETER GEORGES OF LOWELL
ROBERT L. GERLING OF BOSTON
MAX GERSTEIN OF BROOKLINE

JOSEPH GERTE OF BROOKLINE
FREDERICK S. GIBBS OF WABAN
HAROLD P. GILLESPIE OF REVERE
LOUIS E. GOLDMAN OF WINTHROP
NORMAN G. GOSSE OF SOMERVILLE

HERBERT L. GOVE OF MELROSE
ARTHUR B. GRANT OF FAIRHAVEN
ALLEN GREENBERG OF BROOKLINE
HENRY D. GREENBLATT OF DORCHESTER
PHILIP N. GREENWOOD OF ROXBURY

HASKELL BRODBERG OF CAMBRIDGE
ALLEN R. HANDY OF WATERTOWN
HARRY A. HARTFORD OF MEDFORD
ERNEST D. HASELTINE, JR. OF HAVERHILL
WILLIAM S. HATHAWAY OF FALL RIVER

CHESTER L. HECKMAN OF WABAN
RICHARD M. HILL OF WABAN
HENRY L. HILLSON OF DORCHESTER
FREDERICK C. HOLLAND OF WOLLASTON
EMERY HOLLERER OF NEWBURYPORT

ROBERT V. HORAN OF LYNN
RAYMOND P. HUDSON OF ARLINGTON
ROGER HUNNEWELL OF BELMONT
GEORGE E. P. HUSSON, JR. OF BELMONT
HYMAN ILLMAN OF MATTAPAN

ROBERT H. JACKSON OF MALDEN
CYRUS L. JACOBS OF BROOKLINE
JULIUS JACOBS OF ROXBURY
MORTON R. JACOBS OF SWAMPSCOTT
GEORGE JANACKAS OF HAVERHILL

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MARCUS JOSEPHSON OF BROOKLINE

CHARLES G. KAGAN OF REVERE
KALIL S. KALIL OF FALL RIVER
MARKAR KALMEKERIAN OF BOSTON
WILLIAM V. KAUFMAN OF DORCHESTER
MOSES S. KLEIN OF HAVERHILL

MAURICE KLINKSTEIN OF MEDFORD
DAVID L. KRASNOW OF EVERETT
HAROLD H. KREIMENDAHL OF WORCESTER
JAMES R. KURLAND OF LYNN
LUDVIG LARSEN OF RANDOLPH

LOUIS D. LEBET OF HAVERHILL
MAURICE F. LEBET OF BRADFORD
MORRIS A. LEVEN OF BROOKLINE
WILLIAM M. LEWIS OF TOPSFIELD
RAYMOND D. LIBBY OF WORCESTER

WINTON C. LIBBY OF SOMERVILLE
LEVI LINCOLN OF WESTBORO
AXEL A. LINDBERG OF CAMBRIDGE
SAMUEL LIPSKY OF BROOKLINE
JOHN F. LOCKE OF WINTHROP

ARTHUR LONG OF METHUEN
PERCY LORD OF NEW BEDFORD
GILBERT M. LOTHROP OF READING
J. HOWARD LOUGHMAN OF WABAN
JAMES E. LUKE OF SOMERVILLE

ROBERT LUNDER OF LYNN
CHARLES F. MACDONALD OF ROSLINDALE
MILTON W. MACFARLANE OF NEWBURYPORT
JAMES R. MACINNES OF WAVERLEY
RALPH H. MACKENZIE OF BRAINTREE

WARREN E. MACKINNON OF MILTON
ARTHUR H. MACMUNN OF SAUGUS
ROBERT B. MACOMBER OF BOURNE
FRANCIS D. MADGE OF WINCHESTER
KARL G. MALMSTROM OF WORCESTER

PHILANDER L. MANN OF NEWBURYPORT
HENRY MARCUS OF DORCHESTER
ROBERT MATTHEWS OF LOWELL
ROBERT B. MAXWELL OF HARVARD
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JAMES W. MITCHELL OF NEEDHAM
GEORGE D. MONTGOMERY OF WABAN

CHARLES D. SAVAGE OF ISLINGTON
HYMAN L. SCHLOSS OF BROOKLINE
ARCHIE SCHWARTZ OF ROXBURY
RAYMOND S. SEAVER OF HAVERHILL
CLINTON E. SHAW OF WORCESTER

WALTER L. SHAW OF WOLLASTON
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* MORRIS T. SILVERSTEIN OF EVERETT
THOMAS SIMONIAN OF ARLINGTON
EDWIN K. SIMPSON OF BELMONT

SAMUEL SIMS OF REVERE
EDWARD A. SISSON OF LYNN
HOWARD S. SMART OF WALTHAM
CLARENCE A. SMITH, JR. OF NEWBEDFORD
KENNETH A. SMITH OF NEW BEDFORD

RICHARD J. SMITH OF EVERETT
LOUIS W. SNOW OF EAST BRAINTREE
WALLACE E. SNOWDON, JR. OF MELROSE
ALLAN P. SPENCER OF MATTAPAN
ARTHUR O. SPRAGUE, JR. OF HANOVER CENTER

HAROLD E. SPRAGUE OF HANOVER CENTER
E. PETER STAMES OF WABAN
* FRANK M. STEVENS OF READING
GEORGE STRANGMAN OF BELMONT
MOSES S. STROCK OF BROCKTON

ROGER L. SORTEVIK OF BRIGHTON
HOWARD M. SWIFT OF ATTLEBORO
CONSTANTINE THOMAS OF CHELMSFORD
JAMES A. THOMAS OF EAST LYNN
CHARLES A. THOMPSON OF WEST NEWBURY

GEORGE P. THOMPSON OF LOWELL
JAMES A. THOMPSON OF BELMONT
SAUL TRATT OF EVERETT
ARTHUR TWEDDLE OF MEDFORD
LAWSON B. TWITCHELL, JR. OF SOUTH BRAINTREE

HAROLD L. VOSE, JR. OF SWAMPSCOTT
RICHARD F. WAGNER OF WABAN
RUFUS F. WALKER OF NEWTONVILLE
GEORGE W. WARDNER OF WELLESLEY
HARRY E. WARREN OF WELLESLEY

JOSEPH WASSER OF BELMONT
CHARLES T. WEEKS OF SOMERVILLE
HAROLD WEINBERG OF WINTHROP
HARRY L. WEINER OF NEW BEDFORD
SIDNEY WERBER OF MILFORD

ARNOLD H. WETHERBEE OF EVERETT
WILLIAM B. WHEELER OF WINTHROP
BERTRAM F. WHIPPLE OF LEXINGTON
JOHN K. WHITEHOUSE OF DEDHAM
FREDERIC M. WICKS OF NORTH BILLERICA

HAROLD P. WILLETT OF SWAMPSCOTT
NORMAN M. WINCH OF NEEDHAM
CHARLES R. WING OF SOUTH BRAINTREE
HARRY WINOKUR OF DORCHESTER
HARRY D. WOODS OF BOSTON

CHARLES P. WRIGHT OF EVERETT
JACK F. WRIGHT OF WABAN
GEORGE P. WYER OF WOBURN
LESTER B. YOUNG OF WOLLASTON
LAWRENCE ZAIS OF FALL RIVER

* Previously Elected.

Applications were also received from the following
11 aspirants who were elected at this meeting (with the
exception of those * starred) but who did not appear to
receive the obligation.

GEORGE H. CRANTON
CARL H. EVANS
HARRY GREENFIELD
CECIL R. HOBBS
RICHARD E. KAKNES
HENRY A. LEE
VASSIL PANAGIOTOU
THOMAS ROSOFF
* JAMES R. SCOTT
* ALFRED V. A. THOMASON
OSCAR L. WOODWARD

* Previously elected.

By unanimous vote the following 17 Nobles were
elected to membership by AFFILIATION.

Daniel J. Bell of Cambridge
Formerly of Crescent Temple

Stanley G. Capman of Worcester
Formerly of Karem Temple

William Carmen of Brookline
Formerly of Morocco Temple

Neil L. Crone of Belmont
Formerly of Kaaba Temple

Wilfred W. Cross of Leominster
Formerly of Tadmor Temple

Edward Frye of Brighton
Formerly of Damascus Temple

Harold S. Goldman of Medford
Formerly of Egypt Temple

Albert P. Hilstrom of Quincy
Formerly of Abba Temple

Robert H. Jewell of Winchester
Formerly of Acca Temple

Thomas G. Jewett of Marion
Formerly of Al Chymia Temple

Irving W. Lillie of Chelsea
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

Lewis H. Norcott, Jr. of Milton
Formerly of Abba Temple

George T. Pickett of Somerville
Formerly of Anah Temple

Everett N. Pierce of Taunton
Formerly of Omar Temple

Glenwood J. Sherrard of Boston
Formerly of Alcazar Temple

Ernest E. Smart of Waltham
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

Charles Thomae of Attleboro
Formerly of Aleppo Temple

The following 24 former Nobles were reinstated
to membership:

Chester F. Bacheller
George S. Bishop
Walter M. Clark
Murray S. Cohen
Charles F. Crawford
Herbert W. Eastwood
Edward M. Elder
Harry S. Fine
Isadore Goldstein
Louis Goldstein
John B. Johnson
Mack Klein

Raymond J. Koger
Henry J. Kreidel
William Y. Lee
Robert S. Mather
Hugh F. Miller
Herbert C. Phelan
Laurence J. Phillips
Carlton S. Redmond
Thomas J. Reid
Israel Ruby
Auguste P. Sarre
Sidney K. Smith

The 270 Novices present were then ushered into the Temple where they witnessed a rendition of the ritualistic work of the Order of the Mystic Shrine as portrayed by the Aleppo Temple Ritualistic Degree Team under the direction of Noble Wilfred C. Mills. The Ritual Team did its usual splendid work and any Novice joining Aleppo Temple is fortunate indeed to have the honor of being initiated by this nationally known

Shrine Ritualistic Degree Team.

Following the afternoon ritual work the Nobility stormed the banquet hall and for two hours from 5:00 to 7:00 PM partook of a feast that only our Aleppo Steward, Noble William S. Murray, his capable assistant, Noble Rudolph Wismer, and their corps of workers, could provide.

The evening meeting likewise was a standout and one long to be remembered by those who attended. A. Complete change of scenery and new decorations greeted the Nobles as they entered Grand Hall.

The stage which was completely covered with oriental rugs made an appropriate background for the Illustrious Potentate who presided with great splendor and nobleness with his Divan officers assisting.

An innovation was that of putting the Shrine Band on elevated platforms on the stage, augmented by a Hammond Electric Organ skillfully handled by the sterling organist, Noble Harry E. Rodgers.

An impressive Memorial Ceremony was held at the altar during the evening meeting in memory of the thirteen Nobles who died serving in the armed forces of our Country during World War II. Assisting in the ceremony were many of Aleppo's 447 Service Veterans who, dressed in their uniforms, formed a crescent around the altar with the Arab Patrol, while Potentate Palmer read the roll of the Gold Star members. As each name was read a burning taper was extinguished on the stage, followed by taps and the singing of the Vacant Chair by the Aleppo Choir.

During the evening ceremonies the Arab Patrol, under Major Benjamin R. Vaughan's sterling leadership, ably assisted by Captain William F. Sharpe, Jr., held the attention of the Nobility with many intricate and fancy drill maneuvers, ending with special features by each of the five Platoons of the Arab Patrol.

The Patrol finale showed a large scimiter and crescent reaching across the entire Grand Hall floor, made completely from the coats and jackets of the patrol men. This Shrine insignia was all performed like clock-work as the men from different sections of the Patrol walked up and very deftly placed a part of his colored uniform in the proper location. For their efforts in creating this unique innovation, which took many hours of study and work, the Patrol received a grand round of applause from the thousands of Nobles in the hall.

The closing hour of the Ceremonial was given over to the Degree Staff, known by many candidates in the past as the "wrecking crew." Director Watson and his hard working "initiators" turned on the heat and poured on the oil for a solid hour of "entertainment," the likes of which no class of candidates in Aleppo has ever seen.

Taking care of nearly fifty husky candidates and seeing that they are properly introduced into the mysteries of Shrinedom while several thousand Shriners yell for more, is no easy job and Director Watson and the members of the Degree Staff deserve great credit for their one hour of "red hot" floor work at this Ceremonial.

Illustrious Potentate Palmer should feel very proud of his official family of elected and appointed officers, committeemen and workers, who carried out his orders and ideas

to perfection which made this a banner ceremonial and an outstanding success.

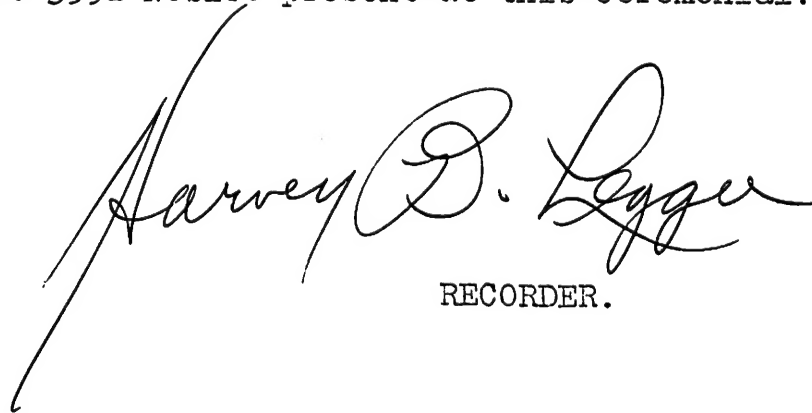
Illustrious Potentate William B. Nulty, Kora Temple, Lewiston, Maine, was given the honor of taking the review during the evening parade and review by the Uniformed Units.

Among the other Shrine Officers who participated in this meeting was Chief Rabban Carl A. Riebling of Ismalia Temple, Buffalo, General Freight Agent of the New York Central Railroad, who attended the Ceremonial with two of his business associates; Noble Earle E. Pierce, Vice President and General Passenger Agent of the New York Central Railroad, and Noble A. E. Yarlott, General Superintendent of Dining Service of the railroad. Noble Yarlott was for many years Steward of Aleppo Temple and Noble Pierce who is also a member of Aleppo was for many years a member of the Second Platoon of the Arab Patrol.

There were 3992 Nobles present at this Ceremonial.

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